

FIG.1
(PRIOR ART)

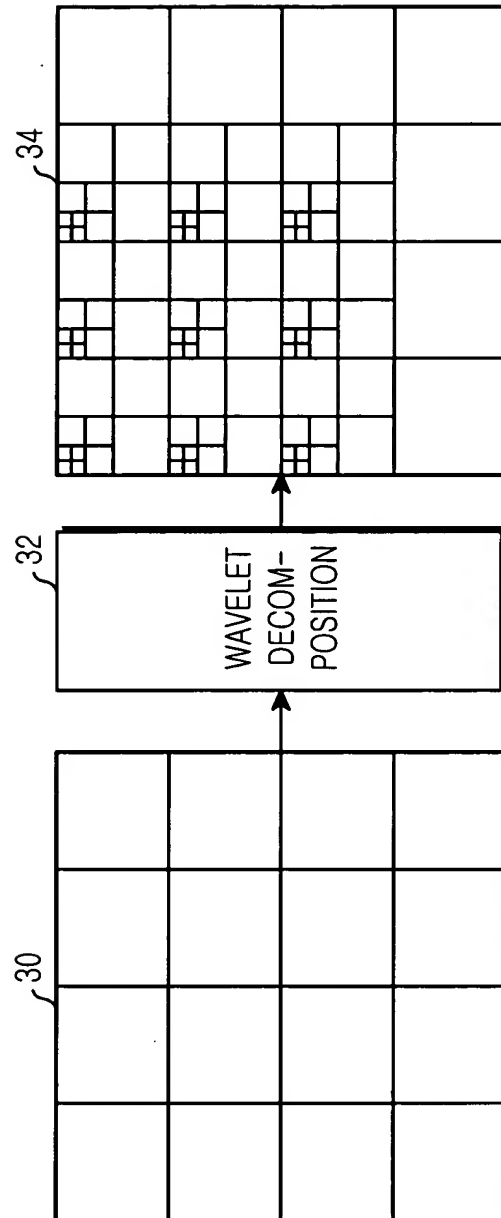


FIG. 2
(PRIOR ART)

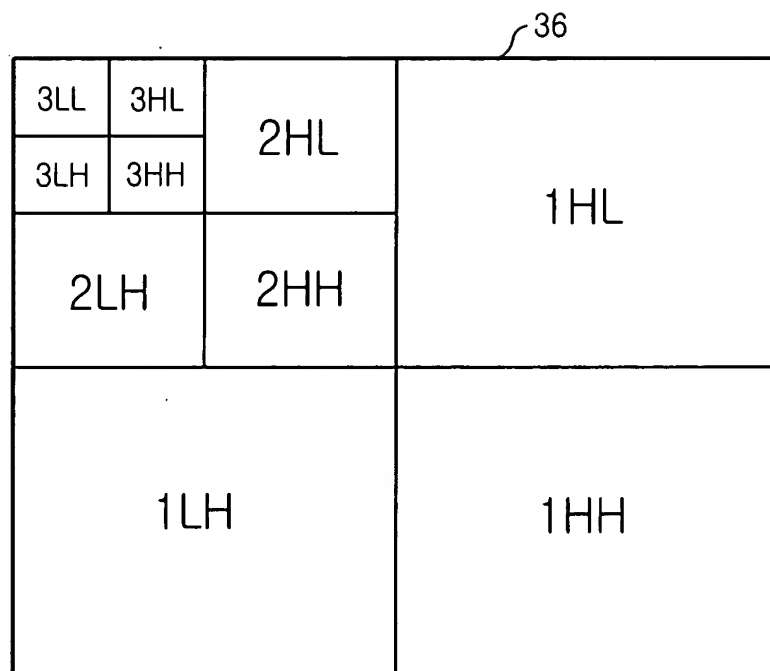


FIG.3
(PRIOR ART)

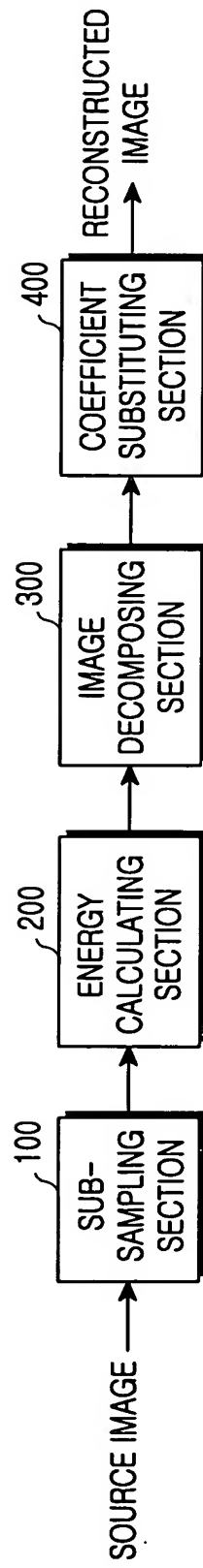


FIG.4

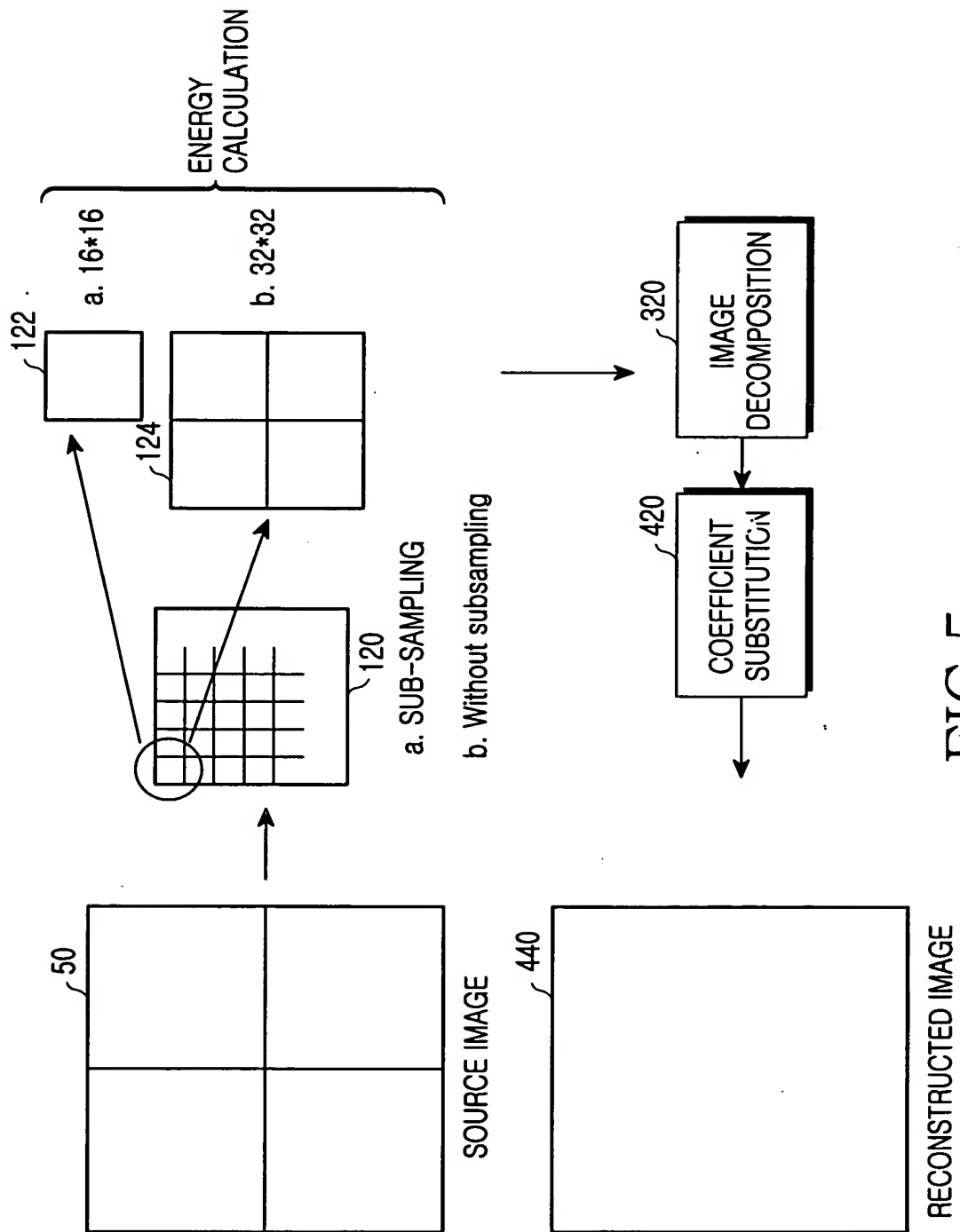


FIG. 5

(a)

1LL	1HL
1LH	1HH

(b)

2LL	2HL	1HL
2LH	2HH	
1LH		1HH

(c)

3LL	3HL	2HL	1HL
3LH	3HH		
2LH	2HH	1HH	
1LH			

FIG.6

ADAPTIVE DECOMPOSITION

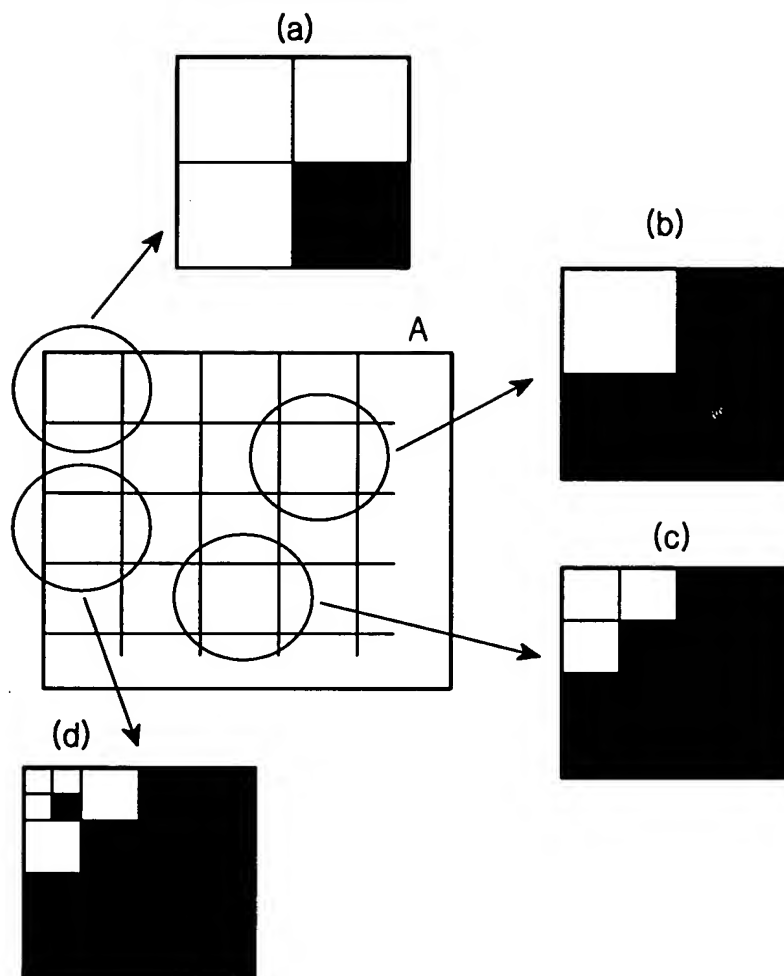


FIG.7

THREE-LEVEL DECOMPOSITION

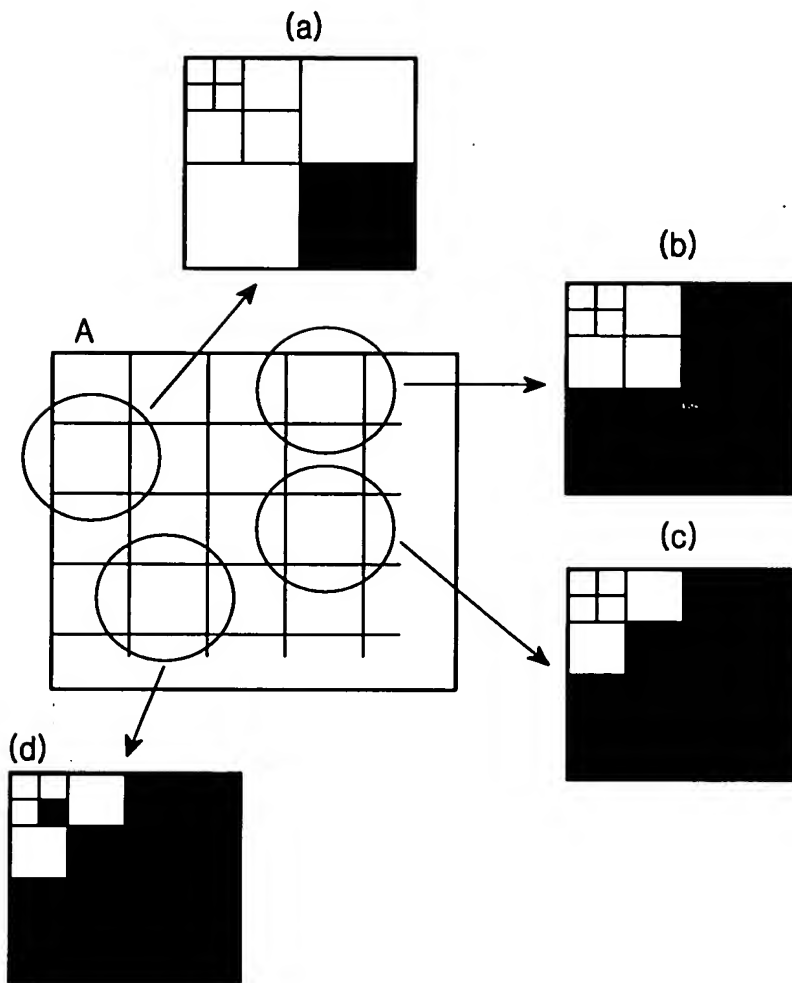


FIG.8

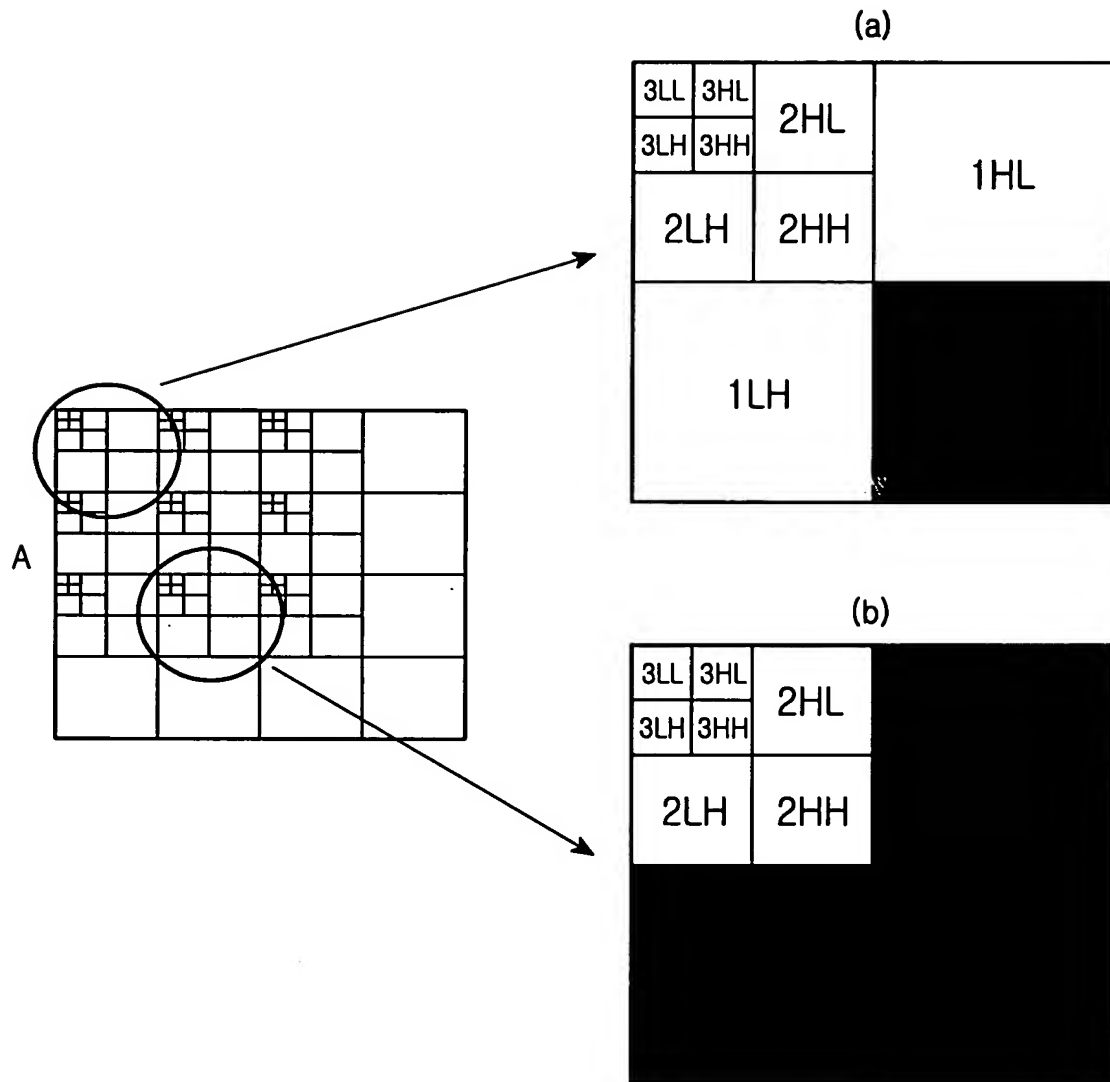


FIG.9

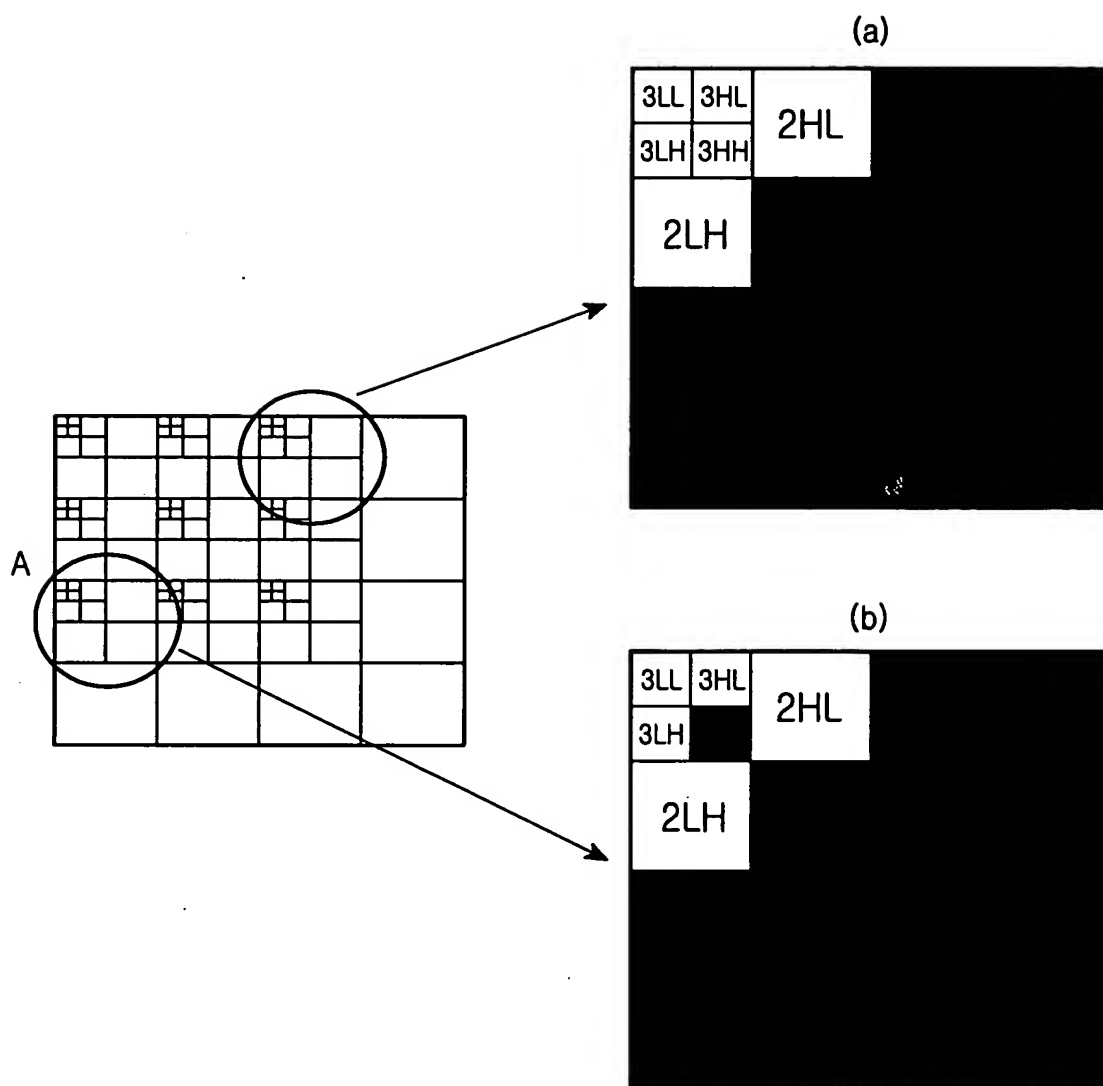


FIG.10

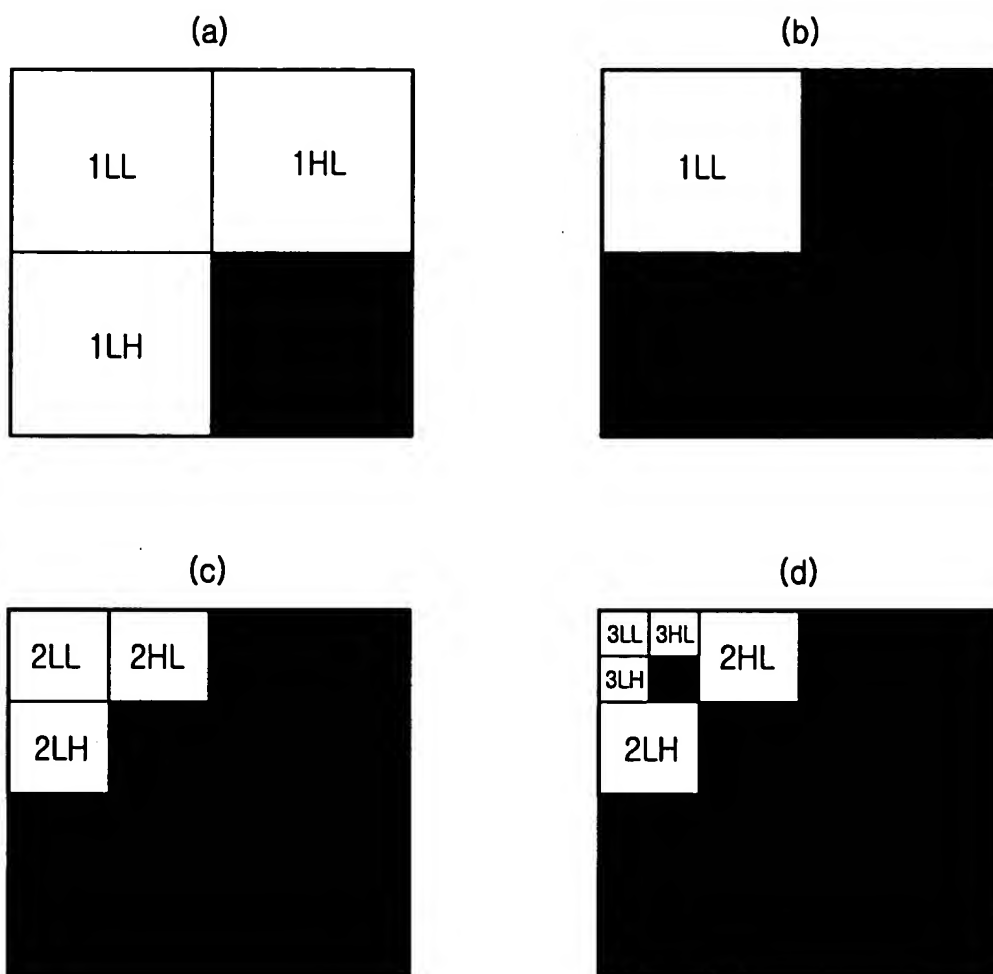


FIG.11

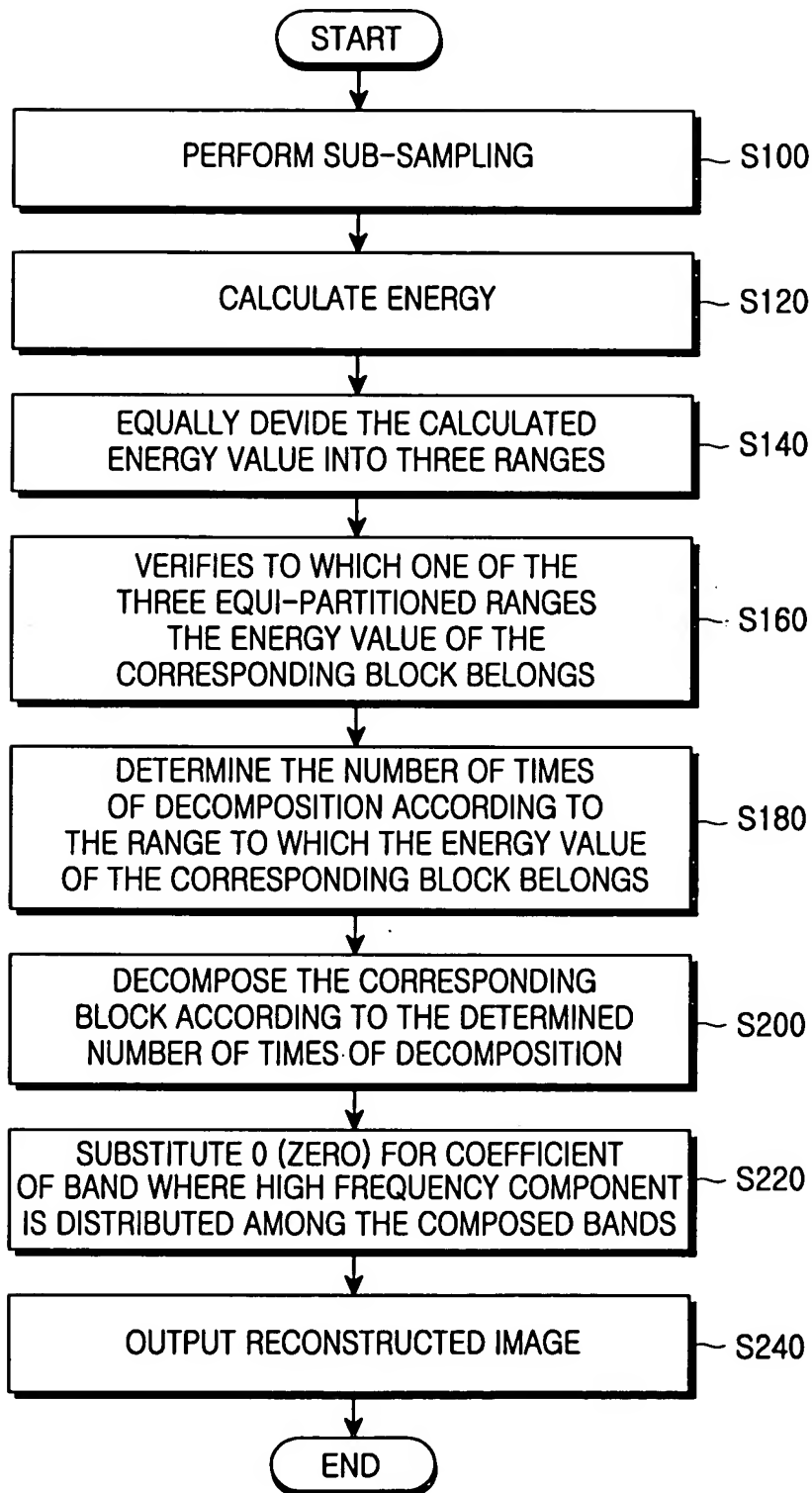


FIG.12

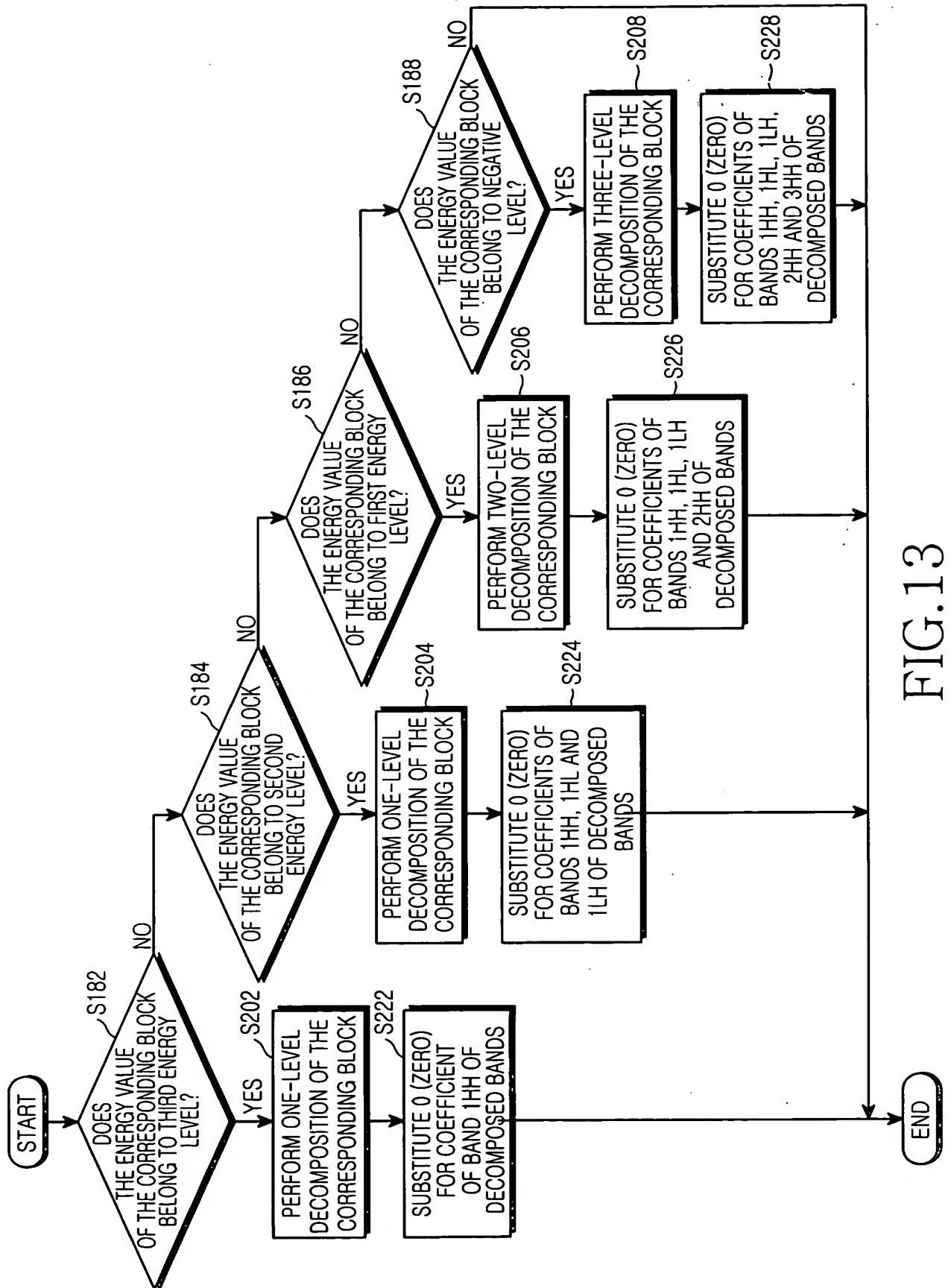


FIG.13